Pending cases of muslim divorced women in the courts

1009. SHRI M. A. BABY: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of the cases filed by muslim divorced women seeking alimony which have been admitted in various courts since January 1986 and the details thereof;

(b) the total number of cases in which alimony has been granted and the details thereof; and

(c) the number of cases still pending in the courts and the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI HANS RAJ BHARDWAJ): (a) to (c) Statistics of this nature are not maintained in the Government of India.

Contingents selected for Republic Day Parade

1010. SHRI ANAND SHARMA: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the children's contingents selected for the Republic Day parade did not include any from the Government schools; and

(b) if so, what are the reasons for the non-inclusion of contingents from Government institutions?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Installation of computers in the courts

1011. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to instal computers in the courts of the states and computerise the data regarding the pending cases which are to be disposed of;

(b) if so, the names of courts selected for the purpose in each State; and

(c) what are the details of the steps taken in this regard and final outcome thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI HANS RAJ BHARDWAJ): (a) to (c) The State Governments have been advised to examine, in consultation with the High Courts, the feasibility of installing computer and other modern electronic equipment in courts to facilitate quicker disposal of cases. The decision in this regard would have to be taken by the States.

The Government of India have agreed in principle to the introduction of computer technology in the Supreme Court. The decision regarding its actual introducion is to be taken by the Chief Justice of India.

Receipt and Expenditure of the Supreme Court

1012. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) what had been the receipts of the Supreme Court by way of court fees during the year 1987;

(b) what had been the expenditure of the Supreme Court during this period;

(c) whether there is any proposal to provide more funds to the Supreme Court in the near future; and

(d) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI HANS RAJ BHARDWAJ): (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(c) and (d) The entire expenditure of the Supreme Court of India is

charged upon the Consolidated Fund of India. Unforeseen and additional requirements over and above the budget provision are met through supplementary grants. When the requirement is urgent, an advance from the Contingency Fund is sanctioned. An advance from the Contingency Fund of India amounting to Rs. 54.55 lakhs was sanctioned for the Supreme Court recently to meet urgent expenditure on account of implementation of the recommendations of the Pay Commission, printing of Supreme Court Reports etc. This will be recouped through a supplementary grant in the current session of Parliament.

Public Sector Undertakings without Top Executives

1013. SHRI LAL K. ADVANI:
SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR:
SHRIMATI KRISHNA KAUL:
SHRI BHUVNESH CHATURVEDI:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the names of Central Public Enterprises without full time Chief Executives and since when each vacancy is there; and

(b) whether Government have streamlined the procedure of appointment and have desired that in each case, steps must be initiated well in time so that due appointment takes place quite before the present Chief Executive retires; if so, with what outcome?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) The list is attached as Statement. (*See* below).

(b) Guidelines setting up a time-table have been issued by the Government for cutting down delays in the matter relating to appointments of Chief Executives in Public Sector Undertakings.

Advance action is taken by the Government well before the vacancies arise in Public Sector Undertakings to ensure timely appointments.

The tenure of appointments is now fixed at 5 years so as to reduce the frequent vacancies occurring at the top level in the Public Sector Undertakings.

Statement

(a & b) Vacancies of Chief Executives in Public Sector Undertakings :

Sl. No.	Name of the enterprise	Date of vacancy as per information collected from the Ministry
1	2	3
1	MD, Bharat Pumps & Compressors Ltd.	19-06-87
2	MD, Bharat Wagon & Engg. Co. Ltd.	01-08-86
3	CMD, Indian Telephone Industries	01-01-87
4	CMD NTC (MS) Ltd.	24-11-86
5	CMD, NTC (MN) Ltd.	23-02-86